DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Public health.

12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage of fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

	Average for the past five years.	*Current.*	
Prices of food grains—Rice ...	7·47	8·05	seers per rupee.
Ragi ...	13·92	16·50	

Rangoon rice, 2nd sort, 9·20 seers per rupee.

Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas.

Agricultural operations.—Weeding in ragi and paddy fields. The state of standing crops is fair. Cattle are in good condition.

Water and fodder are sufficient.

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8. Market well supplied

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Weeding in wet fields in parts of Devanhalli and reaping of ragi in parts of Kankanhalli, Anekal and Closepet.

State of standing crops, such as ragi, avare, kulthi, paddy, sugar cane, hutchellu and other minor crops are in good condition.

Outturn of the harvest.—Ragi in Closepet, yield 12 annas only.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stocks are sufficiently available. Labor is available to the cooly classes.

11. Except for the prevalence of plague in parts of Bangalore, Nelamangala and Channapatna Taluks, public health is generally good.

12. Except for rinderpest in parts of Kankanhalli Taluk, cattle are reported to be healthy in the other taluks Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Ploughing in Kolar Taluk; harvesting in Chintamani and Goribidnur Taluks; and weeding in Sidlaghatta Taluk and Gudibanda Sub-Taluk.

Crops sown.—Vaisakhi paddy in Kolar Taluk.

State of standing crops.—Sugar cane, paddy, ragi and mulberry are in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Paddy in Bowringpet Taluk, yield 8 to 16 annas; ragi in Chikballapur, Goribidnur and Malur Taluks and Gudibanda Sub-Taluk, yield 8 to 12 annas; s mè in Kolar, Bowringpet, Chintamani, Sidlaghatta, Bagepalli and Srinivaspur Taluks and Gudibanda Sub-Taluk, yield 8 to 12 annas; gid ragi in Chintamani and Sidlaghatta Taluks; yield 12 to 16 annas; navanè in Bagepalli Taluk and Gudibanda Sub-Taluk, yield 8 to 12 annas; and ground-nut in Kolar Tluk, yield 8 to 12 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available. Labor is available to the cooly classes.

11. Except for the prevalence of plague in Kolar Gold Fields and an imported plague case in Malur town, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are abundant in all the taluks.

TUMKUR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Paddy in Tumkur, Chiknayakanhalli and Pavagada; Bengal gram in Chiknayakanhalli, Sira, Gubbi and Tiptur; jola in Sira; coriander in Gubbi and Tiptur; and tadagani in Tiptur.

Crops harvested.—Ragi in Maddagiri, Sira, Pavagada and Koratagere; navane in Maddagiri, Sira, Pavagada and Koratagere; savé in Sira, Tiptur, Pavagada and Koratagere; sajje and jola in Pavagada; paddy in Chiknayakanhalli and Tiptur; korle in Sira; ground-nut in Chiknayakanhalli, Gubbi and Tiptur and sugar cane in Kunigal.

Condition of crops.—Good in Maddagiri, Chiknayakanhalli, Gubbi, Pavagada, Kunigal, Koratagere and Turuvekere; fair in Tumkur, Sira and Tiptur. Excessive rain has to some extent caused damage to crops in the Maddagiri Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food grains are available.

11. Public health is generally healthy.

12. Water and fodder are available to cattle all over the district.

MYSORE.

8. Market fairly well supplied.

9. State of standing crops is reported to be good.

Crops harvested.—Ragi in parts of the Mysore, Chamrajnagar and Malvalli Taluks.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available.

11. Except for plague in parts of the Mysore, Chamrajnagar, Seringapatam, Hunsur, Yedatore and T.-Narsipur Taluks, public health is generally good.

12. Except for foot and mouth disease in parts of the Heggadevankote Taluk, cattle are reported to be healthy. Water and fodder are available.

HASSAN.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Standing crops*, such as ragi, paddy, sugar cane, avare and togari in the Hassan and Channarayapatna Taluks; paddy in the Manjarabad Taluk; paddy and sugar cane in the Belur Taluk; paddy, togari, avare, chillies and kulthi in the Arkalgud Taluk; kulthi, gingelly, castor, chillies, samé, navane, haraka and coriander in the Channarayapatna Taluk; ragi, paddy, sugar cane, avare, castor, kulthi, gingelly, chillies, haraka and samé in the Arsikere Taluk, ragi, avare, togari, kulthi, black and green grams, tadagani, castor, paddy and sugar cane in the Hole-Narsipur Taluk, and paddy, sugar cane, avare, kulthi and togari in the Alur Sub-Taluk are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Ragi in Manjarabad and in parts of Channarayapatna; sugar cane and chillies in parts of Arsikere and til in parts of Alur Sub-Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are good.

11. Except for plague in parts of Belur and Arsikere Taluks and cholera in parts of Hole-Narsipur Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. Water and fodder are available. Cattle are generally healthy, except at Nagatihalli in the Arsikere Taluk, where 'Doddaroga' has appeared among cattle. The Assistant Veterinary Inspector has been directed to proceed to the place for inoculation of the cattle.

SHIMOGA.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Standing crops.*—Paddy and sugar cane are reported to be in good condition. Ragi in Shimoga, Channagiri, Honnali, Shikarpur and Sorab and in Kumsi Sub-Taluks; jola in Channagiri and Honnali Taluks; horse gram in Shimoga, Shikarpur and Sorab Taluks; chillies in Shikarpur Taluk and castor in Sorab Taluk. These are also reported to be in good condition. Yield of paddy, ragi, sugar cane and jola in the Channagiri Taluk is 12 annas.

Crops harvested.—Ragi in Channagiri, Honnali and Shikarpur Taluks; paddy in Sorab Taluk and Kumsi Sub-Taluk and arecanut in Sorab, Sagar, Nagar and Tirthahalli Taluks.

10. Prospects of the season are generally good. Foodstuffs are available.

11. Except for plague in parts of Shimoga, Channagiri and Honnali Taluks and in Kumsi Sub-Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available; but 'Dod roga' in parts of Shikarpur Taluk and 'foot and mouth' disease at Tyajavalli in the Kumsi Sub-Taluk are prevailing.

KADUR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Besige jola in parts of Tarikere Taluk.

Standing crops.—

In Chikmagalur—paddy, ragi, coffee, avare, togari, castor, coriander, kulthi, sugar cane, navane and chillies.

In Kadur—paddy, ragi, wheat, sugar cane, kulthi, avare, togari, khurasani, navane, savè, castor and chillies.

In Tarikere—paddy, ragi, jola, avare, cotton, coriander, sugar cane, kulthi and savé.

In Koppa—paddy, areca, coffee, sugar cane and pepper.

In Mudgere—paddy, ragi, coffee and sugar cane.

In Yedahalli—paddy, areca, coffee and sugar cane.

In Sringeri—paddy and sugar cane.

All these are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Gidda ragi, gingelly and paddy in Chikmagalur, yield 8 to 12 annas each; wheat and ragi in Kadur; ragi and jola in Tarikere; areca in Koppa and Sringeri and ragi in Mudgere.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are sufficiently available. There has been sufficient rain all over the district.

11. Except for plague in the town of Chikmagalur in a few villages of the Chikmagalur Taluk, in the towns of Birur and Tarikere and also in a few villages of the Kadur and Tarikere Taluks, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are generally healthy. Watter and fodder are available.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Standing crops*, such as paddy, ragi, jola, navane, cotton, togari, horse gram, Bengal gram, sugar cane, wild gingelly, chillies, samè, haraka, sajje, castor, avare, tadagani, black and green grams are reported to be in good condition.

Seeds sown.—Bili jola in the Hiriyur Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Ragi and navane in the Challakere Taluk, yield 8 annas; ragi in the Hosdurga Taluk, yield 12 to 16 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Food stuffs are available.

11. Public health generally good, except for plague at Davangere, Hosdurga, Harihar and in a few adjoining villages.

12. Cattle are healthy, except in parts of the Chitaldrug Taluk, where they are suffering from 'Chappe roga.' Watter and fodder are available.

BANGALORE,
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